## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

SASAKI, S. et al. Atty. Ref.: BJS-4093-8

Serial No. 10/511,341 TC/A.U.: 1636

Filed: August 25, 2005 Examiner: Vogel

For: ENDOCRINE CELL LINES AND METHOD OF USING THE

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September 18, 2009

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## PETITION TO EXTEND

Petition is hereby made to extend the pendency of the above-entitled application for three (3) month(s) from the due date of June 18, 2009, of the Official Action dated March 18, 2009.

An extension fee of \$1110.00 is now attached in order that a Request for a continuation application may be filed herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any <u>deficiency</u> in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our **Account No. 14-1140**.

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Respectfully submitted,

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